



Maryland Health Benefit Exchange Board Meeting

Review of Studies Start of Recommendation Process

November 15, 2011

Agenda for Today's Meeting

- Review outline of report
- Review draft principles for policy decisions
- Review key areas of work and draft pathways
- Review other topics list
- Next steps

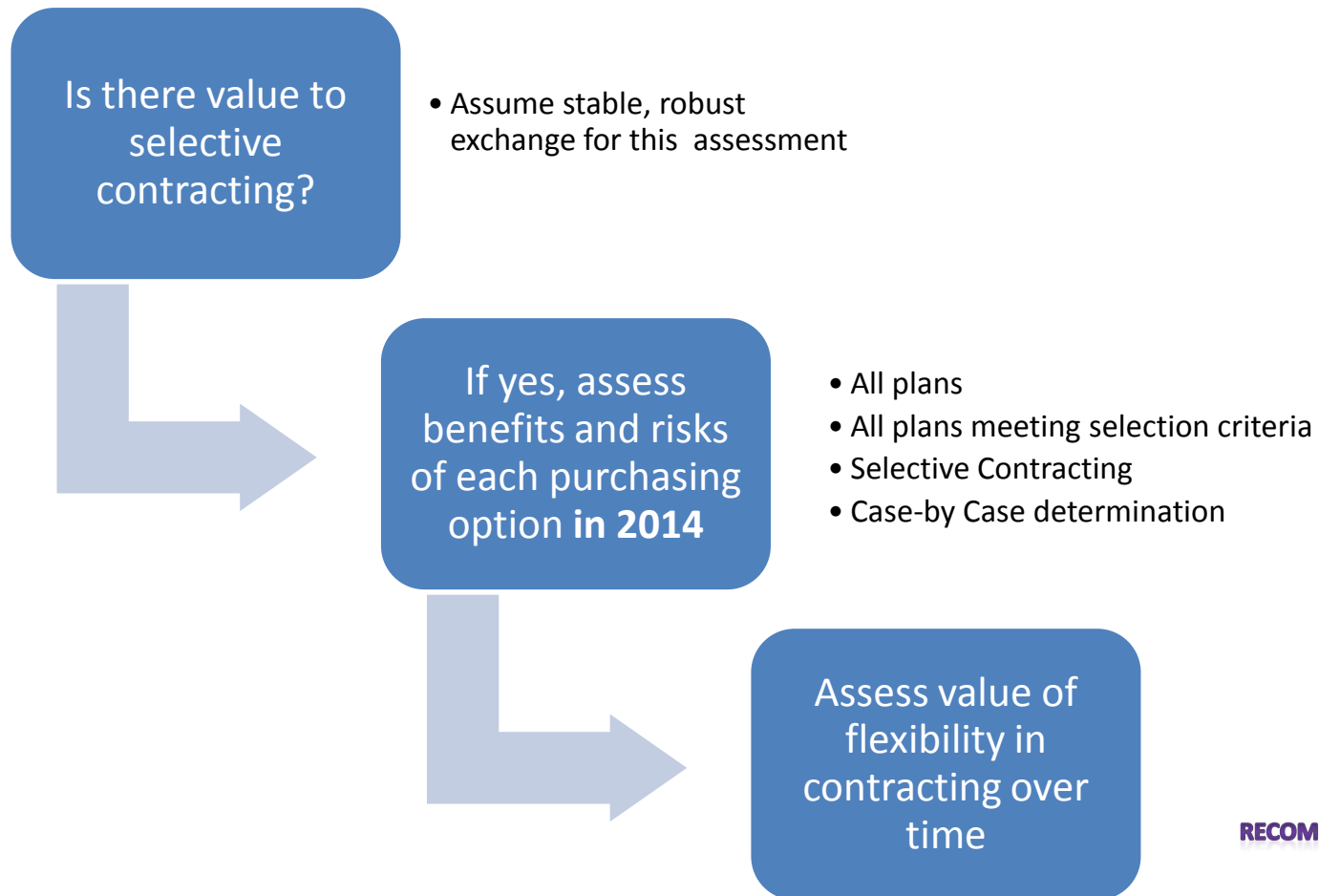
Report to Governor and General Assembly

- Background
 - legislative history
 - process
- Principles for policy decisions
- Pathways
 - For each, pathway plus discussion
- Other Topics
- Recommendations
 - Policy
 - Law

Draft Principles for Policy Decisions

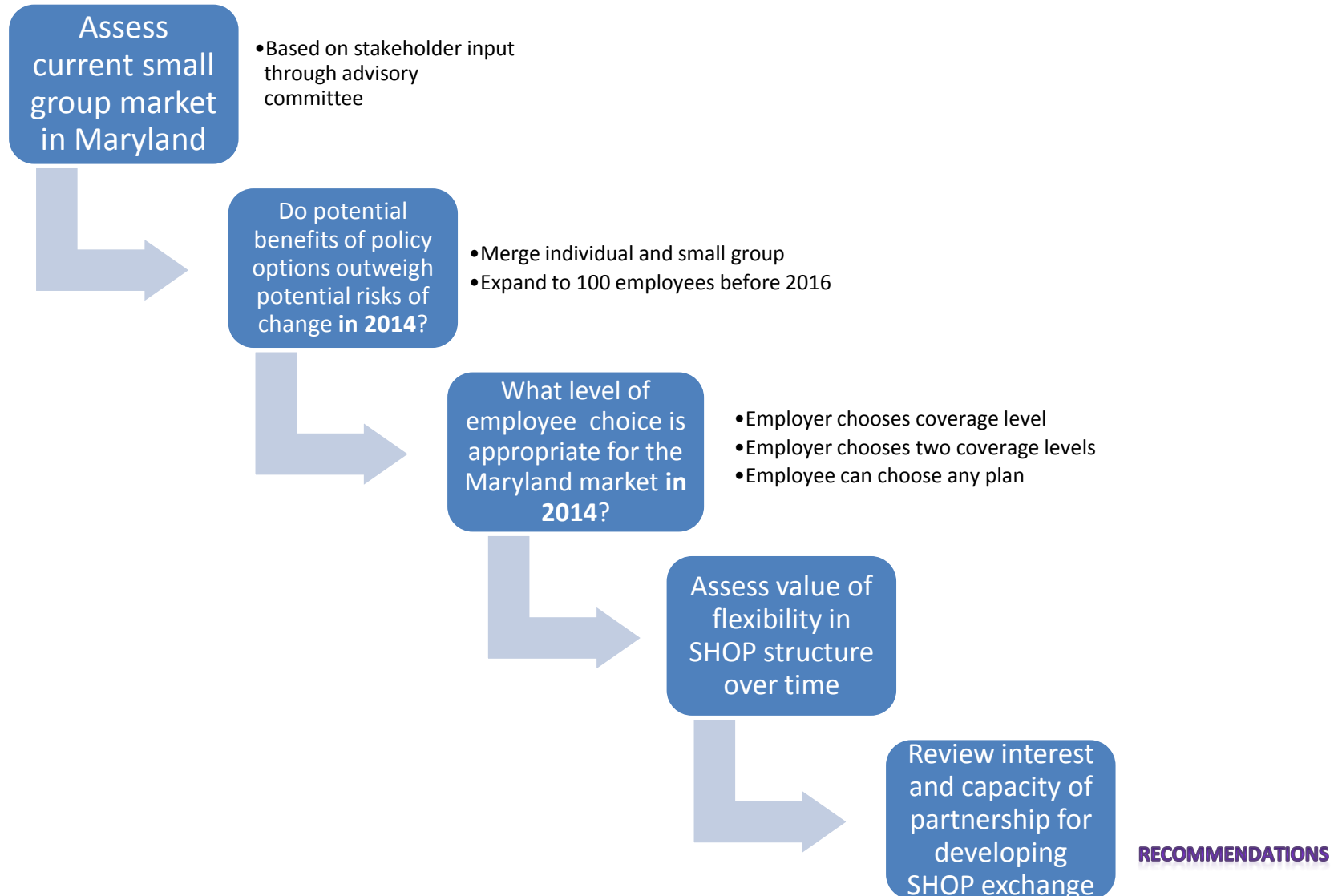
- Accessibility
 - Key goal is coverage
- Affordability
 - Within exchange, and coverage generally in MD
- Sustainability
 - Goal is long-term success
- Stability
 - One step at a time
- Health Equity
 - Exchange should realize potential to address disparities
- Flexibility
 - Changing market may require policy changes within Exchange

Draft Pathway 1: Operating Model

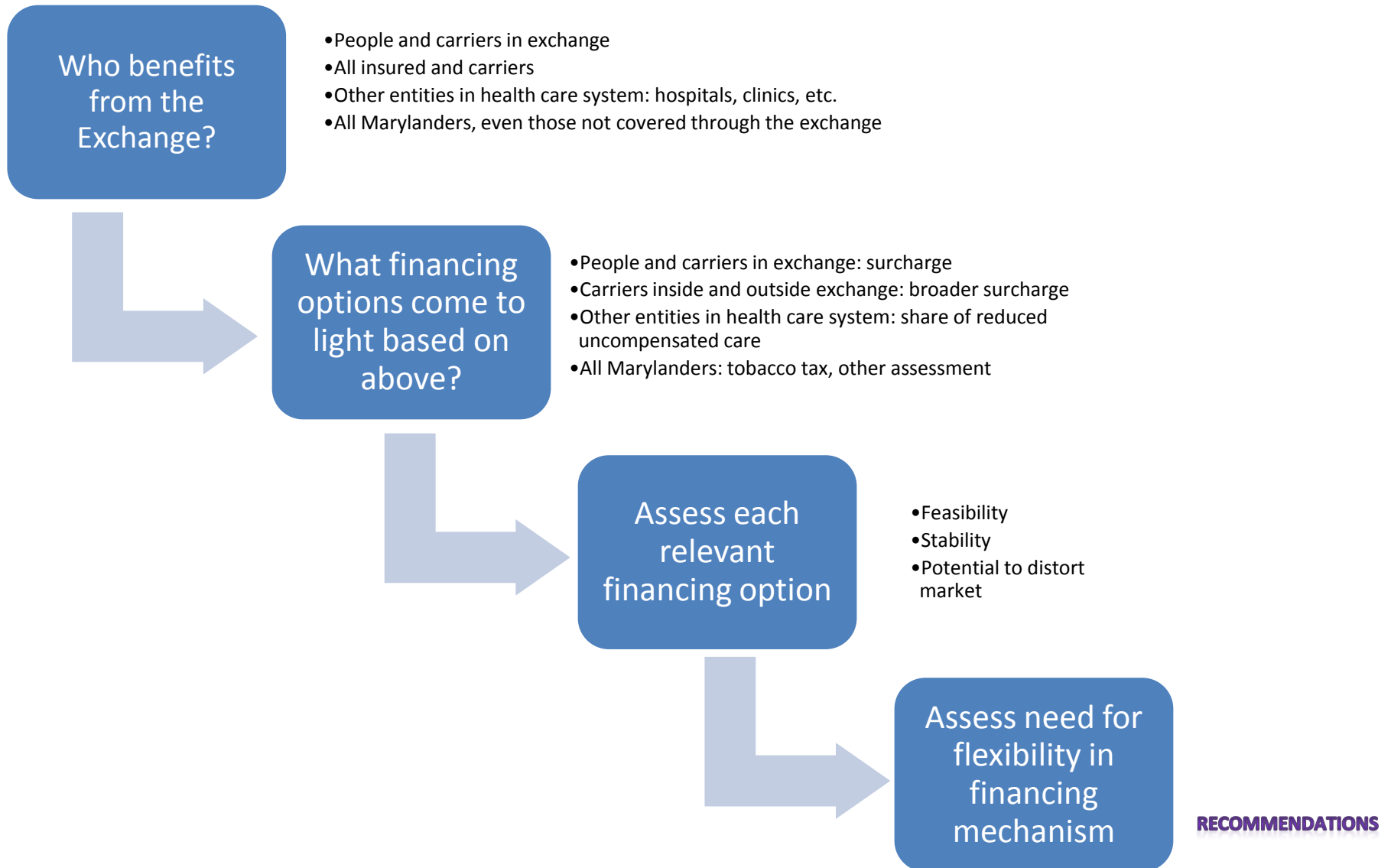


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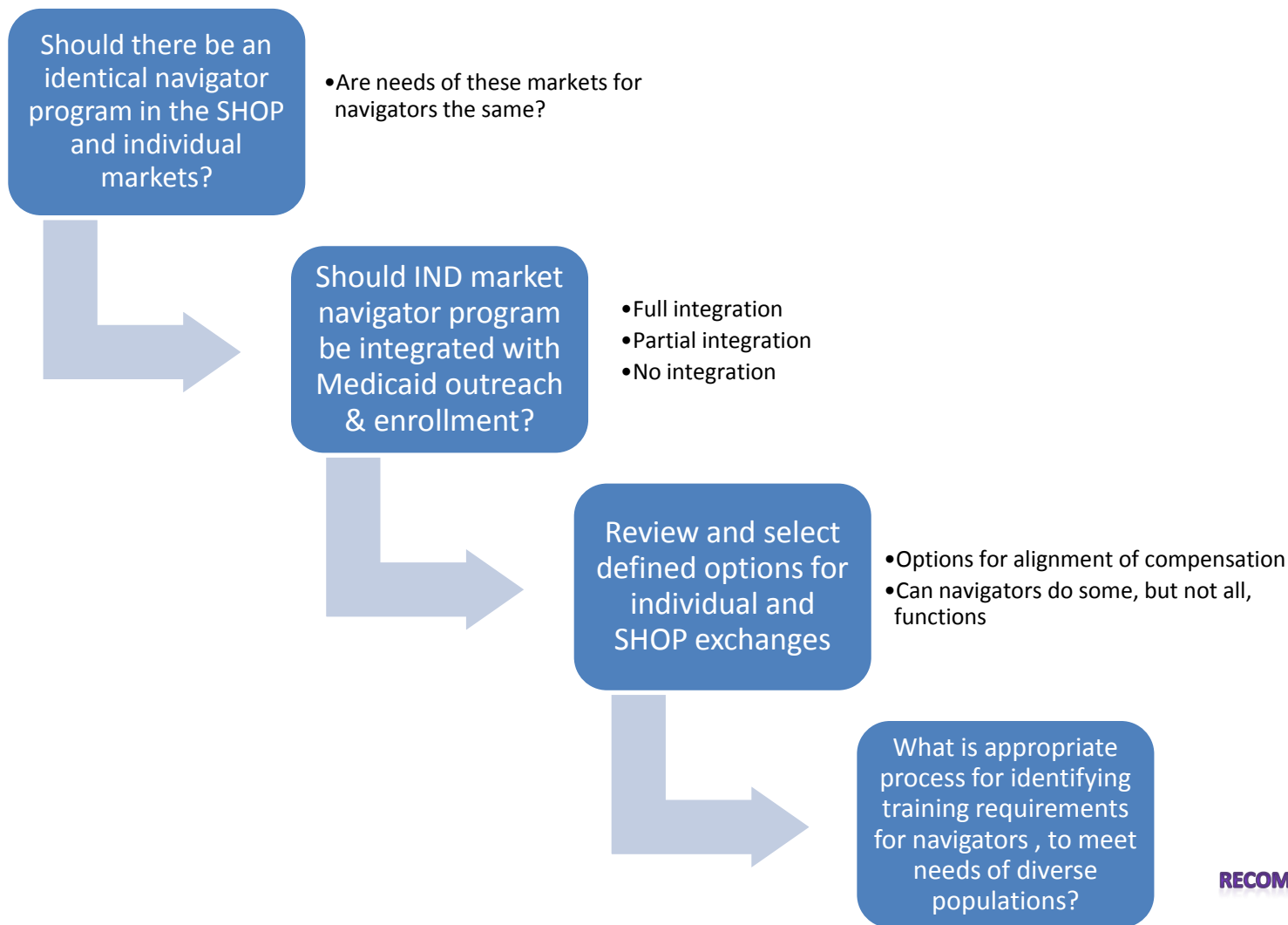
Draft Pathway 2: SHOP



Draft Pathway 3: Financing

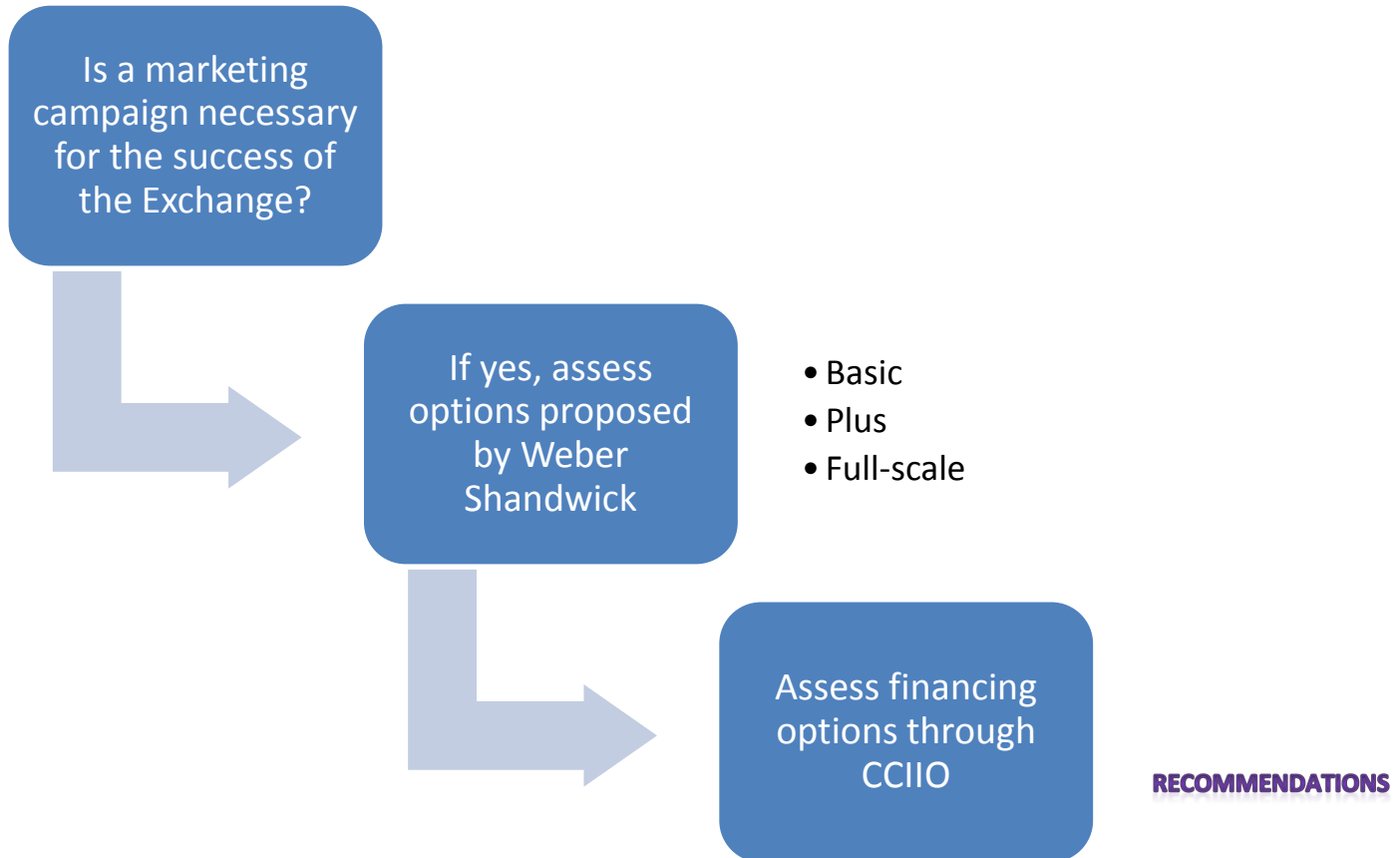


Draft Pathway 4: Navigators

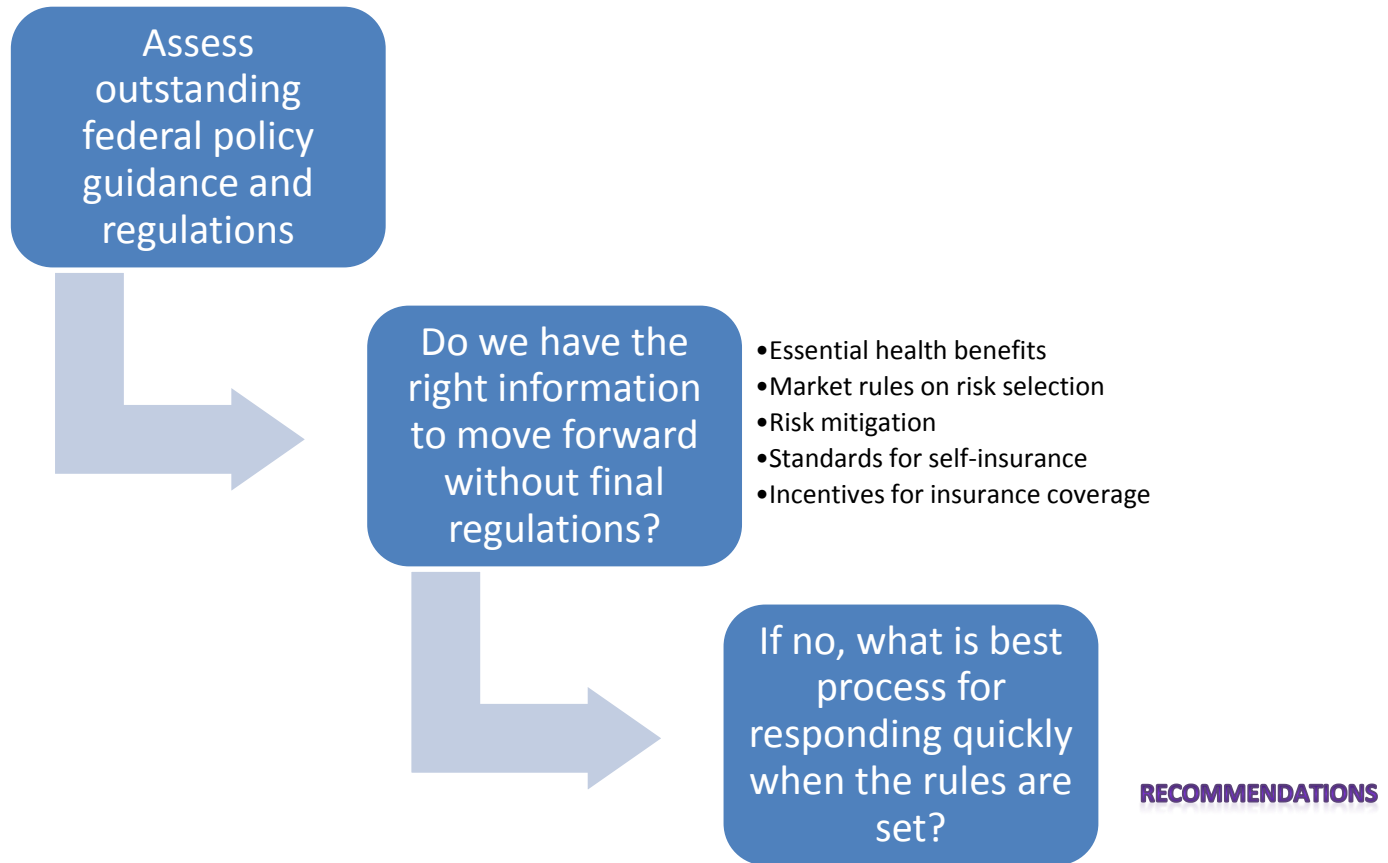


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Draft Pathway 5: Advertising



Draft Pathway 6: Market Rules, Essential Benefits, and Risk Mitigation



Other Areas for Comment

- Multi-state contracting
- Dental benefits
- Others

Next Steps



November 29 Meeting:

1. Operating Model
2. Market Rules
3. Financing the Exchange

December 12 Meeting (Monday):

1. SHOP
2. Navigator
3. Advertising

December 20 Meeting:

1. Review report

December 23 – Deliver report